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News from Dawson carries a hope that the aged couple, named Schmidt, supposed to have perished on Neskoi glacier may be still alive.

The Fidalgo Mining Co., in charge of Thomas Blankney, is now one of the shippers of copper ore, having joined the list last winter, when the first shipment was made after the installation of a tram and the construction of a wharf.

At Fairbanks the jury in the case of Stein vs. Aloom, after a deadlock lasting for twenty-four hours, decided the case in favor of the plaintiff by tossing a coin. The defendant has taken notice of appeal on the ground that the jury arrived at the verdict "hastily. This is the third trial of the case, to profits of a harness deal.

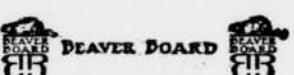
The farmers of the Tanana valley have formed themselves into an association. From information gathered from the various members it is believed that enough potatoes can be raised the coming year to supply the demand for the entire district. The merchants of the various towns will be asked to cooperate with the ranchers, and to give preference to home grown spuds.

The rate war on the Yukon has resulted in the following passenger rates: Dawson to Whitehorse, first class, \$20; second class \$15. Whitehorse to Dawson, \$12.50 and \$7.50. Berths and meals are included in all rates, and the tickets are good until the close of navigation.

ALASKA CENTRAL GOES TO THE WALL

Seward, June 19—The business men's committee who have been operating the Alaska Central Railroad for the last two weeks today received instructions from the head of office of the Company at Toronto to cease all operations.

Mrs. McCullough, the Wrangell milliner, made a trip to Juneau on the City of Seattle Friday.



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It Was a Grand Celebration

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Weather Conditions Were Perfect

The Fourth of July was celebrated in Wrangell in the good old fashioned way.

At the hour of midnight the firing of anvils, guns, revolvers, fire-crackers, torpedoes and in fact, any contrivance that could be made to make a noise was begun, and throughout the morning sleep was out of the question for those who lived near the "firing line."

The day was exceptionally fine and with the exception of occasional light showers, was all that could be wished for.

Early in the day the people began to arrive from the different towns and camps adjacent to Wrangell, all eager to join in the festivities of the day.

At Eleven o'clock the exercises begun in Red Men's hall and the program was an interesting one. The Wrangell band furnished the music throughout the day, and, considering the number of pieces making up the band, the boys are entitled to much credit for the high class of music they furnished.

At 1:30 p. m. the marshal of the day, W. D. Crant, assisted by Messrs. Coulter, Gingras, Jo-

hansen and others, cleared the street for the sports scheduled to take place, and the manner in which things were conducted evidenced the fact that the right men had been chosen to conduct affairs.

Following is the program as arranged and carried out, together with the names of the successful contestants:

Music Wrangell Band

Chorus

Song

Reading of the Declaration of Independence

Remarks

America

List of Sporting Events and Prizes Awarded

Boys Race, under 10 years	\$1.50	1.00	.50
Boys Race, under 15 years	1.50	1.00	.50
James Shakana, 1st; Jerry Shurick, 2d; Tootsie Lewis, 3d.			
Girls Race, under 10 years	1.50	1.00	.50
Annie Gordon, 1st; Florence Simpson, 2d; Rosie Gordon, 3d.			
Girls Race, under 15 years	1.50	1.00	.50
Irene Coulter, 1st; Gussie Leonard, 2d; Elsie Sylvester, 3d.			
Potato Race, Boys under 12 years	1.50	1.00	.50
Jerry Shurick, 1st; Peter Usher, 2d; Herman Ensley, 3d.			
Potato Race, Girls under 12 years	1.50	1.00	.50
Irene Coulter, 1st; Hattie Anderson, 2d; Gussie Leonard, 3d.			
Egg Race, Boys under 12 years	1.50	1.00	.50
James Jackson, 1st; Andrew Engstrom, 2d.			
Egg Race, Girls under 12 years	1.50	1.00	.50
Ruth Sylvester, 1st; Gussie Leonard, 2d; Margie Grant, 3d.			
100 yard dash, open to all	5.00	3.00	
Lawrence Horgeheim, 1st; A. E. Willard, 2d.			
Three-legged Race, Boys under 15	2.00	1.00	.50
Jerry Shurick and Sam Ensley, 1st; Tootsie Lewis and Louis Wigg, 2d; Andrew Engstrom and Fred Simpson, 3d.			
Pole Vault, open to all	5.00	3.00	
Fred Lewis, 1st; Geo. Northrup, 2d.			
Boys Sack Race	3.00	2.00	1.00
James Shakana, 1st; Jerry Shurick, 2d; Tootsie Lewis, 3d.			
High Jump, open to all	5.00	3.00	
V. Hackett, 1st; John Shakes, 2d.			
Running Broad Jump, open to all	5.00	3.00	
R. E. Brown, 1st; A. E. Willard, 2d.			
Running Broad Jump, Boys under 15	2.50	1.50	1.00
Adolph Engstrom, 1st; Tootsie Lewis, 2d; Jerry Shurick, 3d.			
Shot Put, open to all	5.00	3.00	
Butch Graham, 1st; Eugene Geffe, 2.			
Mile Run, open to all	8.00	4.00	
A. R. Hall, 1st; John Shakes, 2d.			
Mile Run, Boys under 15	4.00	3.00	
Adolph Engstrom, 1st; James Shakana, 2d.			
Riding the Slim Horse, Men	5.00	3.00	
C. Mundy, 1st; C. O. Dickinson, 2d.			
Riding the Slim Horse, Boys under 15	3.00	2.00	
John Berg, 1st; Louis Wigg, 2d.			

Boat Races

Class 1 (40 to 80 h. p.)	First Prize \$25.00	Second Prize \$15.00
Class 2 (15 to 40 h. p.)	" 20.00	" 10.00
Dave Lewis, 1st.		
Class 3 (Below 15 h. p.)	20.00	" 10.00
James Bradley, 1st; Eddie Brackley, 2d; Chas. Eykook, 3d.		
Speed Boats	20.00	" 10.00
Fred Lewis, (Fletcher's boat) 1st; A. Sorset, 2d.		
Double Scull (Men)	8.00	" 5.00
Sorset and Knudson, 1st; Hall Bros, 2d.		
Swimming Match—H. Jensen, 1st; Fred Cunningham, 2d.		
Tug of War—John Sorensen's team, 1st.		

In the evening a grand dance by the Wrangell Orchestra. It was given at the skating rink, was along in the small hours of the morning before the dancers waltzed to the strains of "Home Sweet Home."

Wrangell got safely over the 4th without an accident resulting from the use of fire-works of any kind.

C. McDonald and wife, of Lake Bay, registered at the Wrangell on Friday last.

Man Drowned at Point Warde

Severely Injured

By Fall At Mill

R. E. Hooper, while working on the wharf at the mill Thursday helping to load lumber on to the Port Simpson, was accidentally knocked off the wharf and fell to the deck of the Simpson receiving serious injuries. He was removed to the hospital and is improving rapidly.

Louis Paul met with a severe accident at the Lake Bay cannery last week by falling a distance of about ten feet, striking on the right side of his face cutting a deep gash dangerously near the eye. He came to Wrangell and obtained medical attendance and is now rapidly recovering from the unfortunate accident.

Narrow Escape From Death

C. E. Woolman met with a serious accident on Thursday evening last which resulted in placing him in the hospital for several days. While clearing the floor in the upper part of the Wrangell Mill he backed off into a trap door opening and fell a distance of ten feet, striking on the back of his neck and shoulders. He was given first aid by attaches at the mill and afterwards sent to the hospital where he is resting well.

Here is what Pinchotism is doing to Alaska: The British stramp steamer Rupert City, laden with Canadian coal, is at Unalaska unloading its cargo, which is for the use of the United States revenue cutter fleet. Within a few leagues of Unalaska are fine beds of native coal, but under the Pinchot theory of conservation generations yet unborn—Second Gateway.

A determined effort is being made to remove Rhinelander Waldo from his position as head of the New York police department. We know nothing about the merits of the case, but it seems out of place for a man named Rhinelander to try to handle an Irish police force.

The Humboldt departed for the south on Monday night.

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Dynamite was used to clear the Tanana river of ice this spring.

Seward business men have subscribed \$135.50 per month for a publicity fund.

Secretary Bryan has decided to carry a lunch. Well, he can afford a full dinner pail.

President F. W. Bradley, of the Alaska Treadwell and associated companies is on his way north.

A. F. Demidoff has been appointed postmaster at Kodiak to succeed H. P. Cope, deceased.

By the terms of the new Yukon mail contract, Dawson is to have mail of all classes delivered both winter and summer.

The Hemple Copper Company have some very promising claims on Landlock bay and expect to soon place the property in position to ship.

A pack saddles and a basket of ranch eggs were recently received at the Cordova postoffice, from the states by parcels post.

It is announced that the big 200 stamp mill to be erected near Juneau by the Alaska Juneau Gold Mining Co., will be completed by October 15th.

Fred Duncan Kelly, held in the Atlin jail on the charge of housebreaking, escaped from the clutches of the law leaving no trail.

According to the report of Sumner S. Smith, mine inspector for Alaska, there have been twelve accidental deaths in the mines of Alaska during the past two years.

Judge Henry States, of Juneau, has presented to the Pioneers' Association of that city the first article of furniture of Eastern manufacture ever shipped to the town. It is a hard-wood desk made in Ohio and shipped to Juneau in 1884.

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At the Episcopal Church

Sir Walter Scott, the Prophet of Adventure, will be the theme of the lecture at St. Philip's church Sunday evening, July 15. This lecture will be followed July 20 with a lecture on Waldsworth, the Interpreter of Nature.

Miss Farnsworth, of Denver, who is spending the summer with her uncle W. C. Weston, at Holbrook, is visiting friends in Wrangell and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wheeler.

Governor Strong was the speaker of the day at the 4th of July exercises at Sitka. Mrs. Strong accompanied the Governor.

Jack Higgs met with a painful accident on Tuesday last having a large spike run through the middle finger of his right hand. This injury will interfere with the use of the hand for some time.

Get L. C. Paterson to tell you how many trout he and Kestenmeyer caught at Castle Creek Saturday. We are afraid to repeat the number told him, for some of our readers might doubt our veracity.

Mrs. Wm. Head and Mrs. Belle will have for exhibition at Jefferson tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Davis of Proctor, Vermont, arrived in Wrangell on the Jefferson Monday. Mr. Davis is a prominent official of the Vermont Marble Co., which has quarries at Tolkeen, Ham Island and El Capina.

When a modern soldier goes into battle he carries 100 cartridges which vanish in a few minutes. The problem of supplying ammunition is now the subject of much study and trouble. When Meade was sending his troops toward Gettysburg he gave each man 60 cartridges and three days' rations. Commissary and ammunition wagons were left behind. The difference in the amount of ammunition supplies provides an interesting sidelight upon the changes that have taken place in war's accoutrements.

National Forest Timber For Sale

Sealed bids will be received by the Forest Supervisor, Ketchikan, Alaska, up to and including July 14, 1913 for 2,000,000 feet B. M. more or less, of Sitka spruce and Western hemlock saw-timber upon a designated area on the northeast shore of Vanks Island, Tongass National Forest, Alaska. No bid of less than \$1.00 per M. feet for saw-timber will be considered. Deposit with bid \$200. The right to reject any and all bids reserved. Before bids are submitted for information concerning the timber, the conditions of sale, and the submittal of bids should be obtained from the Forest Supervisor, Ketchikan, Alaska.

This new Winchester shoots a heavier bullet and has a harder blow than any other recoil operated rifle made. It is more powerful than the .30 Army, of big-game hunting fame. The loading and firing of this rifle are controlled by the trigger finger. It

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How can you fix the time so precisely?

"Because I could see the church steeple and noticed that its hands were exactly in the same position as my own."—Spokane Spokesman-Review.

He Needed Proof.

It was after 10 o'clock at night, and the jury had just been discharged.

A stout Jurymen came over to the reporters' table. He had a worried look.

You are an Evening News man, are you not?

"Yes."

"Are you going to report this case?"

"Yes."

"For tomorrow's paper?"

"Yes."

"Would you mind putting in a line saying that the jury was out until 10 o'clock?"

"I'll mention it, if you wish."

"I certainly hope you will. You have no idea how much I want to do. You are a young man and probably you're not married yet, but some day you'll have a wife, and then you'll understand."—Newark News.

Them Hand Bags.

The hand bag that the lady wore was wide and deep—immense. And it could hold the lady's—One skein of thread, Two skeins of knitting, Two skeins of crocheting, Eighteen nicely good buttons, One tiny comb, Three car tickets, One package for sponge cake, One mignonette set, Six sachets, One lace-clothes, Two yards of ribbon, One powder puff, One chamber skin, This lace-duster/powder, One box of keys, One package of chewing gum, One cigarette, Two postage stamps, Fifty-seven varieties of dingsbaths and seven cents. —Milwaukee Sentinel.

She Said It.

A visitor of noble birth was expected to arrive at a large country house in the north of England, and the daughter of the house, aged seven, was receiving final instructions from her mother.

"And now, dear," she said, "when the duke speaks to you do not forget always to say 'your grace'."

Presently the great man arrived, and after greeting his host and hostess he add to the child, "Well, my dear, and what is your name?" Judge of his surprise when the little girl solemnly closed her eyes and with clasped hands exclaimed, "For what we are about to receive may we be truly thankful, men!"—Ladies' Home Journal.

No Hero.

I never never rode in bounds
Across the fields and brooks
Or drove a golf-ball out of bounds
As people do in books.

I never talked in epigrams
To girls in cozy nooks
Or passed around those witty slams
As people do in books.

I never entertained a king
Or went out after rooks—
In short, I've never done a thing
That people do in books. —Kansas City Journal.

Hospitality.

A tourist who had been caught in a severe snow storm in the highlands concluded his stay, after finding a safe refuge, by being asked to stay overnight.

After dinner, while wearing a suit of clothes and capes to his own new dry, he met the mairies on the side with a broom in his hand, and inimitating the strummer for her husband, gave him a thump on the head with the broom, remarking, "That's for skin' the man to stay at night!"—London Weekly Telegraph.

The Old Chuck Wagon.

Shaved, I know the feelin' that we're goin' win in yer breast
When you've rode a bronc' all mornin' an' are amin' for a rest.

It's then yer eyes no roamin' for the sunnin' wagon top
An' the chumple which announces it's the place fer you to stop.

Yan', key, the call of "grub pile!" There's nothin' half so sweet
As to quit yer tired bronco an' squat down an' eat an' eat.

—Los Angeles Express.

No Partiality.

Barber—What will you have on your hair?

Customer—Don't get funny. I've got more than one hair.

Barber—So, I see. Pardon me. I meant what you have on both.

Barber—Brooklyn Life.

Ape Owe 'Em.

When fur skins can still leat I'm

Toot rye tomb-ache them c'm ink Lear,

Youth ink wood butt bee weigh sting

thyme;

Use ch. "It's imp lean on seents shear!"

Gnome nattur, Anna lies alight!

Nation mice leader verse says knot-

Fork rip tick poor rest like mine,

How Aaron weal, demesnes alight.

—Century.

The Clock and the Man.

When a clock is fast you can always

turn it back, but it's different with a

young man.—New York Times.

Stone in the Heart.

A Greek woman employed in the American hospital in Caesarea, Turkey, was stirred by a revival. She straightway asked leave to visit a woman whom she had injured and to whom she had not spoken for ten years. When she trudged through the snow three or four miles to ask her "enemy's" forgiveness her relatives were sure she had gone daft, but the next day when she came back to the hospital she said, "We made peace, and the stone in my heart is gone."

Dr. C. A. Emery, the dentist, who has been spending the past month at Telegraph Creek, returned on the Port Simpson this morning.

J. T. Philan, Superintendent of the Canadian Government line, who with his daughter, made a trip to Telegraph Creek, returned on the Port Simpson this morning.

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News of Local Interest

—Chili Concarni—the hot stuff at Denny's.

Fish are a little slow getting into the traps this season. Guess they are peeved because the Alien Fishermen's bill was vetoed by Gov. Clark a few minutes before the Alaska legislature adjourned.

—Short orders served at Denny's.

That Bender boy seems bent on giving Wrangellites a good run for their money, judging by the fine line of pictures he is showing.

Ex-Gov. Brady was a passenger north on the City of Seattle. Mr. Brady was governor of Alaska during the McKinley administration.

Universal satisfaction is expressed over the appointment of Hon. Fred M. Brown of Valdez, to the district judgeship.

The Jefferson arrived in port at 2:30 p. m. Monday, with over one hundred tourists and a large consignment of freight.

Capt. Orr, a well known Alaskan and former resident of Wrangell, came over from Scow bay on Monday last to renew acquaintances.

Wrangell is in darkness and will be for two weeks as far as electric lights are concerned. The Wrangell Light & Power Co. is installing a new boiler at their plant and as there is no auxiliary plant, the lamp will have to be called into use.

—Denny, the Caterer, will serve you at any hour of the night.

Mrs. Lora S. LaMance, National Organizer and Lecturer of the W. C. T. U., spoke to a good audience at the Presbyterian Church last night.

Miss Esther Hall, Miss Francis Dressler, Albert Thompson, O. Olson, A. Erickson and Peter Søberg were in from Burnett to see the sights on July 4th.

E. H. Joseph, Pacific Coast Superintendent of the Columbia & Northern Fishing & Packing Company who has been spending the past month at Astoria, Oregon, returned to Wrangell Tuesday on the Princess Sophia.

—For Sandwiches of all kinds, go to Denny's.

F. Klevenhusen, of Bremen, Germany, one of the principal stockholders in the Columbia & Northern Fishing & Packing Company, arrived in Wrangell Tuesday on the Princess Sophia.

J. E. Worden has received a re-appointment as postmaster at Wrangell. The office was advanced to the Presidential class on October 12 of last year.

Miss Lynn Worden, who made the round trip to Seattle on the Alki, returned Tuesday night after a pleasant two weeks trip.

—Chicken Tamale, steaming hot at Denny's.

Governor and Mrs. Strong will leave in a few days for Fairbanks via Dawson, where the Governor goes to look after official business.

P. J. Gorman and E. J. Coughlan, of Shakan, spent a few days in town this week.

F. E. Bronson, Deputy Collector of Customs in charge of the port of Wrangell, has been notified of his retention by Secretary McAdoo. Mr. Bronson has been at the head of the Customs department in Wrangell for the past nine years and his reappointment will be received with much satisfaction by the business men of our town.

The meat famine in Wrangell was broken by the arrival of the Humboldt and City of Seattle on Friday last.

—Remember Denny's Restaurant is open all night.

J. E. Sales returned to Wrangell Monday from the west coast where he has been putting in a fish trap.

E. A. Woolard and family arrived on the City of Seattle Friday and will remain in Wrangell during the season. Mr. Woolard is connected with the Alaska Sanitary Packing Co.

J. H. Irving, of Seattle, registered at the Wrangell Hotel Monday.

F. S. Barnes and wife and F. E. Furnish and wife, of Lake Bay, spent the 4th in Wrangell.

Mrs. LaMance will address the public again this evening at the Presbyterian Church and Friday evening at Red Men's Hall. The hour at both places will be 8 o'clock.

Card No. 2424, of Montesano Aerie, No. 363, belonging to L. E. Retzlaff has been found and can be had by calling at the Sentinel office.

The Port Simpson left for Telegraph Creek at 1:30 p. m. Saturday. This will probably be the last trip made up the Stikine this season by the Port Simpson.

The Duckland left for Ketchikan on Saturday with Christ Buschman as passenger for that port. Capt. Bjorge was in command with Capt. Johansen as pilot.

The dance given by the Red Men at their hall on the evening of July 3d was one of the most enjoyable given in Wrangell for many moons. The music was furnished by the Wrangell Orchestra and was of a high class. The hall was crowded and a general good time was the result.

"Chips" Cole made a business trip to Juneau on the Humboldt.

Dr. Shurick went to Juneau on the City of Seattle to attend the convention of the Arctic Brotherhood. He also attended to business affairs while there. He returned on the Jefferson.

John Clyde Oswald, President of the Oswald Publishing Company, and Editor of the American Printer, of New York City, was a passenger on the Spokane Sunday. Mr. Oswald paid the Sentinel a pleasant visit while in Wrangell.

Mrs. Mary E. Hart, President of the Alaska Cruise Club and official lecturer on the excursion steamer Spokane, called to pay her respects to the Sentinel during the stay of the Spokane on Tuesday last.

A Jap from Santa Ana came into Wrangell Monday suffering from an injured thumb. He called on Dr. Dawes who decided that amputation was necessary and therefore proceeded to separate said Jap from his throbbing thumb.

The Princess Sophia came into port Tuesday afternoon with a large crowd of tourists aboard.

The day was one of sunshine and the tourists had a good opportunity to take in the sights in and about Wrangell.

Dr. Emery, the Wrangell dentist, who has been at Telegraph Creek for the past month fixing up the mouths of his patients for another year, returned home on the Port Simpson and reports business good. The Doctor will make a trip to Petersburg and some of the west coast towns in the near future.

His Choice.
Oh, Helen's eyes are velvet black,
Her brow is like the snow,
And wonderful embroideries
Beneath her fingers grow.
But Millie makes the lightest bread.
A man could wish to eat
And biscuits white as powder puffs
And muffins hard to beat.

And Helen paints divinely too.
Her water color scenes
Are perfect in their tender tints
Of restful grays and greens
And glowing pinks and silver blues.
But Millie has no match
With thread and needle when it comes
To putting in a patch.

Although I linger near entranced
When Helen sings and plays,
And, though enraptured when we meet
Upon her charms I gaze
And often in her dainty ear
I whisper speeches silly,
Yet Millie makes delicious pie,
So I'll propose to Millie.

—Judge.

For Golfers.
Mrs. R. H. Barlow, the eastern golf champion, was being congratulated at the Stockton baths on breaking the record at the Cape May Golf club. Mrs. Barlow, apropos of low scores, told her interlocutor a story about a wretched player.

"He was a swaggering sort of chap," she said, "for all his wretched play. One day he was describing a medal competition he'd taken part in.

"Do you know," he said, "I did the first hole in eleven, the second in fourteen, the third in twelve—and then, hang the luck, I went all to pieces?"—Exchange.

Advice to the Fat.
Sleep but little, never eat
Anything that's fat or sweet;
Shun tobacco, alcohol;
Eat potatoes not at all;
Beans, rice puddings, pies, others;
Never pass your plate for more.
With your meals no water take;
Walk until your muscles ache;
Exercise an awful lot.
Especially if the weather's hot.
Hungry always leave the table;
Eat as little as you're able.
If you're really fit for food
Unbuttered toast is very good;
Or if that does not suffice
Two or three small pieces are nice.
Milk and cream you must taboo,
Sugar in your coffee, too.
Try this plan two months or three
And I'll give my guarantee.
The advice I give is true,
And you'll lose a pound or two.
—Life.

Business Is Business.
"That fellow who was talking so nicely about love in a cottage must be a poet."

"No; he's a real estate dealer. He's trying to persuade me to get married and buy a semi-detached cottage on the instalment plan."—Washington Herald.

Nowadays.
"I'm going to leave, mom," said the maid.
"Alas," cried Mrs. Grey.
"I've done all of the work myself,
So why will you not stay?"

Then Bridget up and made reply,
Thus ending the dispute:
"Inde, I'll let you know just why—
The work's not done to suit!"—Lippincott's.

How He Did It.
First Vender of Brooms—I don't know 'ow you sells 'em for a penny. I steals the bats, I steals the birch, and I steals the bindin's and 'ave to ask tuppence.

Second Vender of Brooms—I steals 'em ready made.—London Punch.

Nothing New.
Same old coal bin, same old hood,
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Same old quail that shrilly call,
Same old chestnuts, same old fat.
—Kansas City Journal.

Advice.
"I would like to get some plants to put in my kitchen to give it an aesthetic touch. What would you recommend?"
"From the looks of the kitchen, madam, I would advise some scrubby plants."—Baltimore American.

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If the plans to open Alaska should also have the collateral effect of closing Deleat Wickham, prosperity would take the next boat north.—EX.

APPOINTS LOCAL MEN ON BOARD

Last Tuesday Gov. Strong announced his appointees to fill the offices on the newly created Medical, Dental, and Pharmacy boards. The Medical board is for the purpose of examining all those practicing medicine and all applicants who shall desire to do so in the future. The Board for the First Judicial District consists of Dr. H. C. DeVigne of Juneau, and Dr. J. L. Myers, of Ketchikan. The Board of Pharmacy is to serve for a term of four years and in this District consists of Wm. Britt of Juneau and Floyd E. Ryus of Ketchikan. Dr. W. E. Zuber was appointed a member of the board of dental examiners to serve for a term of three years. This places a local man on each of the three examining boards.

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Serbian Women.

There is no country in the world where women occupy a more dignified or honored position in the home than Serbia. The Serbian idea is quite different from that of the Turk, who keeps his women behind shut doors, or the German, whose ideal woman is a good hausfrau. In Serbia the woman is the companion of the man. A man is responsible for his unmarried sisters, and throughout the Balkan states it is considered rather a breach of etiquette for him to marry before his older sister. No Serbian girl would feel she could hold up her head in society unless she could speak four languages. There is hardly a Serbian woman who cannot play some musical instrument. Embroidery, painting, drawing and sculpture are all studied. Politics is a popular feature among women. Serbian women are very domesticated, and the highest ladies pay personal attention to trivial matters of housekeeping—London Tit-Bits.

When the Worm Turns.

"But the point is, my dear sir," the father asked in pompous tones, "can you support my girl in the style to which she has been accustomed?" — "I'm afraid not."

"Then what the—"

The young man waived the remark aside.

"She has assured me, however," he added, "that she will not expect me to buy so many gloves as I have been providing or to take her away from home whenever she wants anything good to eat. Nor does she expect to ride in a taxi, as we have always done, when a train will do. In short, we are going to live quite sensibly, and—"

"Oh, all right!" growled the father. "If you are going to be mean about the business take her!"

Gladstone on the Balkans.

The traditional opposition of Bulgaria to Turkey constituted, according to Mr. Gladstone, one of the chief factors of European progress. Speaking of the Balkan peoples, he once said:

"They are like a shivering beach which restrains the ocean. That beach, it is true, is beaten by the waves; it is laid desolate; it produces nothing; it becomes perhaps nothing save a mass of shingle, of rock, of almost useless seaweed. But it is a fence behind which the cultivated earth can spread and escape the incoming tide, and such was the resistance of Bulgarians, of Servians and of Greeks. It was that resistance which left Europe to claim the enjoyment of her own religion and to develop her institutions and her laws."—London Chronicle.

Origin of the Cigarette.

The Aztecs, it is believed, are responsible for the cigarette. The Spaniards first got a whiff of the cigarette when they invaded Mexico under Cortes. The Aztecs then used tobacco in no other form, and the Spaniards learned from them how to roll the little package into smokable shape. They introduced the cigarette into Europe, and by that route it found its way into America, though it was nearly 200 years reaching here. The Aztecs were also using cocoa and its product, chocolate, when Cortes conquered them, and it was not long until the whole of Europe was eating the various preparations of this bean. When the Spaniards first tasted it they named it theobromas, from the two Greek words meaning "food of the gods."

Trousers.

Modern trousers came into fashion in 1812, yet the column of Trajan shows a group of Sarmatians clothed in trousers that are just like ours. As early as A. D. 60 a Roman general created great scandal by going to war in trousers, which were regarded as "barbarian." When the Bulgarian King Boris was converted to Christianity in the seventh century, among the 100 questions he propounded to the pope was whether it was lawful for Christians to wear trousers. The explanation of this is that the Bulgarians had long been among the trousered peoples, but as conversion was coming from the flowing robes Greeks they feared that robes instead of trousers might be essential to Christianity.

All About Stealing.

"Why do you call your story 'The Thieves' Romance?'"
"Because it is all about stealing."
"How?"
"Well, the story of the romance goes this way: 'She stole a look; then he stole a kiss. Next they had stolen meetings, they stole a morsel on their friends and both stole away.'"
"I suppose the next thing they will be stealing back."

Moscow.

Moscow is one of the most famous cities in Europe. Exactly 100 years before Napoleon's raid Moscow yielded up to Petersburg—the modern addition "Soviet" was unknown to its founder, Peter the Great—the position of capital of the Russian empire, but its geographical situation has enabled it to remain the premier commercial and industrial city. The heart of Moscow is the Kremlin, where the czars are crowned and where may be seen the 875 cannon which Napoleon took to the city and left behind him when forced to retreat with the remnant of his great army. Moscow is 400 miles southeast of Petersburg, with which it is connected by a railway line almost as straight as the crow flies. When Nicholas I. decided the line should be built he drew a straight line on the map between the two cities, and engineers overcame almost incredible difficulties to keep the railway to the route indicated.

Once Upon a Time in France.

There was a time in France when a foolish actress who was ambitious enough to want a decoration and so ill advised as to make application for it to one of the ministers was punished by imprisonment. It was during the reign of Louis XV., and the first gentleman in waiting of his majesty wrote this to the governor of the Fort Toulouse prison:

Dear Sir—Having been informed that Mlle. Chalon has had the insolence and has been mad enough to solicit one of the king's decorations, to which neither her sex nor her profession entitles her, I write you this letter in the name of the king. You are to lock her up in your good prison or le Fort Toulouse and make the place as inconvenient for her to teach her a lesson. Even evening, however, one of your men will have to conduct her to the Comte de France in order that the public shall not be deprived of the pleasure of applauding the talent of this indiscreet woman.

Maybe He Had None.

Rox Beach was at the dress rehearsal of one of his plays, and he was there to see that everything was done exactly right. In one scene member of the cast failed to pull down his cuffs as was stipulated in the stage directions. "Wait one minute!" exclaimed Beach, prancing out to the middle of the stage and interrupting the rehearsal. "Wait right where you are! Haven't I told you to pull down your cuffs? Doesn't the book tell you to pull down your cuffs?"

"Yes, sir," said the actor.

"Well, you haven't done it," objected the playwright. "Pull them down! Down, down, down! Every gentleman pulls his cuffs down."

"I fear," said the actor coolly, "you go too much on hearsay."

Sunday as It Used to Be in London.

Those who object to Sunday amusements sometimes speak as though in bygone times our countrymen were exemplary in their observance of the Sabbath. In 1805, however, a chronicler, quoted by Mr. Nevill in "The Merry Past," estimated that over 200,000 Londoners spent their Sundays in the lums and tea gardens round the metropolis, and the condition of these pleasure seekers at nightfall be calculated to be as follows: Sober, 50,000; in high glee, 30,000; drunkish, 300,000; staggering tipsy, 10,000; muzzy, 17,000; dead drunk, 5,000.—London Spectator.

A Dandy Duke.

The Duke of Buckingham took twenty-seven suits of clothes to Paris in 1625, one of white velvet set all over with diamonds, worth £14,000. He also wore a diamond feather and diamond buttons and earrings. A curious fashion for men prevailed in 1612 of ornamenting the ear with strings of black velvet ribbon, also of placing rose behind the ear.—London Saturday Review.

The Name Servia.

The Serbs have a grievance against the English language for spelling the name of their country, Servia, with a "v," as though it came from "servus," a slave. There is really no such connection, and in other languages it is spelled properly, with a "b"—Springfield Republican.

Becoming Oblivious.

Mrs. Chat—I don't believe you've heard a word I've been saying for the last half hour, John! Chat—No, my dear. I've been cultivating absence of mind.—Judge.

He Didn't.

Instructor—Did you litter this? Youth with a sly smile—No, I was afraid it wouldn't stand the strain.—Harvard Lampoon.

Live with the wolves, and you will learn to howl.—Spanish Proverb.

It Couldn't Be.

Dean Farrar quotes Tennyson as having related to him the remark of a farmer who, after hearing a fire and brimstone sermon from an old style preacher, counseled his wife by saying: "Never mind, Sallie. That must be wrong. No constiutoshun couldn't stand it."

Cumulative.

"George has given me an engagement ring with three diamonds in it," said Henrietta.

"Yes, I know," said Marietta. "He always adds a diamond every time he gets engaged. It only had one when I wore it."—Harper's Weekly.

Snowing Progress.

Minister—Young man, do you know how to dance? Young Man—Well, person, I know the holds, but I don't know the steps.—Life.

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